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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Takatoshi KATO, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 1608
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For: OPTICAL FIBER SPLICING METHOD AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION LINE	:	

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office

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